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To: Bahrman, Sarah [Bahrman.Sarah@epa.gov]; Shea, Valois [Shea.Valois@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Draft Admin Briefing & TPs - Dewey Burdock

#### Ok thanks

From: Bahrman, Sarah

Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 2:34 PM

To: Shea, Valois <Shea. Valois@epa.gov>; Minter, Douglas <Minter. Douglas@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Draft Admin Briefing & TPs - Dewey Burdock

Thanks – I'll insert this sentence in the talking points if that works for you guys:

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Subject: RE: Draft Admin Briefing & TPs - Dewey Burdock

Hi Sarah,

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Working on the other comments in the document & will send updates soon.

Valois

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Importance: High

Thanks everyone. I took a bit more time to go through the documents and have additional comments. It was really helpful to go through the paper with the talking points – that helped me make some changes to the paper that I think might quickly answer concerns.

If we do not have technical folks on this call, think about what maps/figures are appropriate. They won't be getting into that detail if there is no one there to explain it.

Please update the papers and send back clean versions as soon as possible.

Thanks you all for your quick work on this issue!

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From: Bahrman, Sarah

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Hi Darcy -

Here are new versions that address all of your comments and includes input from Callie (new language in track changes). The briefing paper still needs:

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Douglas is also going to prompt OAR again as we have not heard back from them.

Thanks,

Sarah

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Here are my comments.

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Here are my comments on the briefing paper. On the talking points, include the highest position in OGWDW management that was briefed – I couldn't remember if it was Peter or perhaps his deputy.

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Thanks

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#### Hi Darcy -

Here's an updated version of the briefing paper that includes comments from Lisa, Paul and Kim V (Lucita's were already incorporated). I've also copied Callie so she can weigh in on the treaty rights piece. OITA raised the question last week – we need to decide whether and how to address that issue in the comm strat. Kim V has provided some draft language for the talking points.

Thanks, Sarah

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Sarah,

Attached are comments from Kim and Lucita. I've added a few edits and comments to their versions, too.

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<u>Vanderpool.Lisa@epa.gov</u>>; Mutter, Andrew <<u>mutter.andrew@epa.gov</u>>; Varilek, Kimberly <<u>Varilek.Kimberly@epa.gov</u>> **Subject:** Draft Admin Briefing & TPs - Dewey Burdock

Hi Darcy, Paul, Elyana, & Andrew -

Here's a draft briefing paper for the discussion with the Administrator on Friday on the Dewey-Burdock project. I've also attached draft talking points for Deb/Shaun and a separate document with figures to accompany the briefing paper. These versions incorporate comments from UIC and ORC, but I have not yet heard from Lisa so I added Andrew here in case you want to review.

I am leaving the office now, but will be back on email later tonight and can help merge comments, etc so we have one version to get to Joan and Deb.

Thanks Sarah

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Subject: RE: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

Deb and Shaun will be briefing the Administrator next Friday. The AAs for OITA, OW, OAR, OP and several other AAs are also invited to this briefing. Here was Deb's suggestion on the briefing paper and prepping her and Shaun for the call:

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Give me a holler on Monday with questions.

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Thanks

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From: Bahrman, Sarah

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**Cc:** Minter, Douglas < Minter. Douglas@epa.gov>; Shea, Valois < Shea. Valois@epa.gov> **Subject:** Re: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

Thanks, Darcy. Any sense for when the briefing paper will be due? That would be helpful as well.

Douglas/Valois- I can take the lead on the briefing paper so you can continue to focus on finalizing the various other docs and keep those moving.

On Nov 10, 2016, at 2:57 PM, O'Connor, Darcy <oconnor.darcy@epa.gov> wrote:

Wanted you to see this. I have a meeting with Deb on this late this afternoon to get a better understanding on what's going on. We will need a briefing paper for the administrator – I'll see what I can find as an example.

Sorry folks, I'll keep you posted as I learn more.

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From: Mutter, Andrew

**Sent:** Thursday, November 10, 2016 1:48 PM **To:** O'Connor, Darcy <<u>oconnor.darcy@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: FW: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

Looks like next Friday.

V/r

Andrew

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Cc: Lee, Monica < Lee. Monica@epa.gov >; Distefano, Nichole < DiStefano. Nichole@epa.gov > Subject: RE: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

The briefing for the adm looks like it is next Friday – so will likely need to adjust release date accordingly. Thanks ng

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Acknowledged. Will check with our OW team.

V/r

Andrew

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Thanks .. heads up to check in with shaun – adm's office, through matt fritz, has asked for a briefing for her – so we need to make sure our comms plans don't get ahead of that – and that timing may be beyond the 18<sup>th</sup> ..thanks ng

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From: Mutter, Andrew

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Subject: FW: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

Nancy,

As discussed. We are continuing to move forward and I want to ensure maximum coordination with EPA staff.

V/r

Andrew

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Subject: Communications Strategy for Dewey Burdock UIC Permits/Aquifer Exemption

The comm strat is still being edited but wanted you to have the latest version. Also attached press release.

The announcement will be on 11/18 according to UIC program folks which is a Friday so I'm not thrilled about it. I'm going to see if we can move it to Thursday or Monday.

Lisa

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